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**Box PATENT APPLICATION  
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New U.S. Patent Application  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GENERATING DIGITAL VIDEO  
IMAGE DATA  
Inventors: Jason Naxin Wang, et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 39 pages, including title page, 10 independent claims and 25 claims total.
2. Drawings - 10 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-10).
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Sony Corporation and Sony Electronics, Inc.
5. Request for Non-Publication of Application and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. § 1.22(b)(2)(B)(i).

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6. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee				\$740	\$ 740.00
	Number of Claims	Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	25	-	20	5 x \$18	90.00
Independent Claims	10	-	3	7 x \$84	588.00
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TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE				\$ 1418.00	

7. Please charge the fee of \$1,458.00, which includes the filing fee of \$740.00, the additional claims fee of \$678.00, and the Assignment fee of \$40.00.

Applicants claims the right to priority based on Provisional Patent Application No. 60/254,572 filed December 12, 2000.

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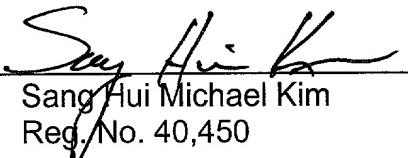
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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR NON-PUBLICATION OF APPLICATION AND**  
**CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

As an authorized agent of the above-identified applicant, the undersigned attorney hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b).

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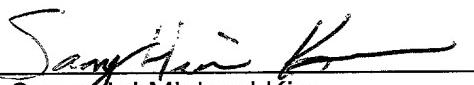
I further understand that if applicant subsequently files an application directed to the invention disclosed in the attached application in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications eighteen

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Respectfully submitted,

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